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On the economic side - the gold situation - if all foreign nations demanded payment we would be a bankrupt nation. We look for objective thinking instead of propaganda. The American press has misinformed the United States concerning China. We have ignored the C.I.A. and their professional rioters here and abroad.

The American Negro is achieving the impossible. He is now our teacher. JAMES BALDWIN's book carries the whole American spirit. This spirit is visualized throughout the world.

Our Negro aristocracy has accomplished its own authority. We must end this nightmare. If we wake up the American spirit can change the world. Because of the Negroes' noble spirit he is finding a following in the white people.

The noble underdog is our teacher. "The Free Press for Hire" must be dumped.

BALDWIN's book was after all, after all, after all published in The United States of America.

Dr. CLARK FOREMAN presented the Annual Tom Payne award to poet, composer and singer and speaker of civil liberties, a man who fills Carnegie Hall with his message - Bob Dillon.

He accepted with thanks for those who went to Cuba. They were young, he is young, America belongs to the young. The bald-headed should go 'away to the beaches.' He sees no color (black, white, yellow, etc..) In history books they write facts not the way people feel. His idol was W. GUTHRIE.

People have fears. Old people go away - the young should rule. He accepted this on behalf of his good friend PHILIP LUCE, who led the Cuban group. He saw in OSWALD, "the man who killed the President," quote things that are in himself. He doesn't think he would go that far but he

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isn't sure. (Note: later CORLISS LAMONT attempted to interpret this statement that DILLON felt a feeling of guilt as we all should in causing the assassination.)

Toastmaster FAULK introduced the next speaker, HERBERT BIDERMAN, one of the Hollywood Ten, who served time in Texarkana, Texas jail.

BIDERMAN - Mrs. EATON is inobtuse. She pulls the shrouds for the Cadavers. He complimented a new book, MARGARET HALSEY's "Pseudo-ethic". It should be pushed to the top of best sellers to join JAMES BALDWIN's book so that we may have two solid legs to stand on.

We must mature, grow up - How can we teach children we haven't got unless we first win these rights back.

Twelve years ago the S.C. ruled "Advocacy" is a crime (Smith Act). Now we are guilty if we believe something.

BIDERMAN introduced Dr. PAUL LEHMAN, for Professor of applied Christianity, Princeton and now member of Union Theological Inst. who helped to found . the ECLC, 1951.

He outlined to function of E.C.L.C. now and started collection time and from time to time introduced celebrities present.

Collection cheques *(X) u*

1500	CORLISS LAMONT
2000	Great Neck & Roslyn Associates
1000	DON SHAFFER
1000	JOHN SCUDER (ECLC)
1000	Anonymous
1000	Anonymous
500	W. E. DUBOIS from SAM & EDITH KAMIN
200	Trade Unionists of Entertainment Industry

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250	JOSEPH BOUDINE (father of LEONARD BOUDINE)
250	THEODORE SHAPIRO
200	BEN GILMORE
200	EARL B. DICKERSON
500	BERNARD BRIGHMAN (S.P.)
300	CY HARTER (S.P.)
250	HAROLD SHERMAN & 3 others
120	Table 8
100	Dr. EMILY PEARSON
100	HAROLD RYAN
2000	Anonymous
100	A. Lincoln Brigade members
100	HENRY H. WOLF
100	CHARLES EYDE (S.P.)
100	Mrs. RUBIN GORDON
100	MARIE MAJOLESKI (S.P.)
100	HY DROMBERG

(continued after guests)

Honored guests:

FRED JEROME	- denied passports for Political Belief.
VINCENT COPELAND	- Workers World
ALLAN MC EWAN	- Travel to Cuba (not present)
LEVI LAUB	- who faces 15 years of 5000 fine Cuba trip
MOE FISHMAN	- Spanish A. Lincoln Brigade
RALPH LEVITT	- Indiana University - Young Socialist Alliance
HARRY RYAN	- attorney for HERMAN LIVERIGHT
HARVEY O'CONNOR	- HUAC contempt pending
DAVID SHAPIRO	- attorney for Blacklist in Hollywood = Antitrust case
MIKE STERN	- member of Advance group
EDGA GRAHAM	- Coast Guard ident. passport
ROBERT THOMPSON	- a disabled veteran hero denied compensation because of C.P.

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Dr. LEO COOK - Professor, Illinois U. Fired by college because of his article on premarital sex at college.

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\$120 JOSUA EPSTEIN
100 MARY WEIGHTMAN (S.P.)
100 PRISCILLA NAGLE
100 ELEANOR BRUSSELS
150 Memory of MAX KRAUTHEIM who died in Spain
100 Dr. ALEXANDER KATZ
100 SYNEY ----- (not legible)
100 BERNARD FISHMAN

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BIDERMAN - Tonight absent is LEONARD BOUDINE whom columnist ALICE WIDENER says U.S. attorneys should give up trying to beat. She inferred equality of attorneys is poor. The truth is that the U.S. cases are so poor.

A scroll of twenty people pledges \$100 to raise money to pay LEONARD BOUDINE. Fee is started anyone pledging or donating \$100 can have their name included on scroll. ~~(C)~~ ~~(U)~~

CORLISS LAMONT quoted from the new edition of "Rights" re assassination of President KENNEDY.

He also tried to interpret the statement of ROBERT DILLON concerning this assassination. (DILLON was hissed and booed for his remarks). He (LAMONT) believed that DILLON wanted to say what I.F. STONE has been saying - that there is an element of violence in all Americans. That the shame of guilt is what DILLON was attempting to say.

Miss EDITH SEGAL - poet, dancer, composer, read an original poem, "The Ballad of Four Girls and a President" concerning the killing of the four Negro children in the South and the assassination.

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J. H. FAULK - Ours is a struggle of humanity and inhumanity. Justice is injustice. This writer JAMES BALDWIN feels this. He thinks this. He writes this.

JAMES BALDWIN:

The freedom march in August, 1963, of 250,000 wanted a redress of grievances. These people wanted to tell this country of their troubles and tell of the trouble of our country. He described his emotion of feeling a prisoner upon hearing of the death of a friend, MEDGER EVERE. He described his feeling when 4 children were killed. He traced the philosophy of the "Myth of Northern Europe" upon coming to America -

- A. Killing the Indians
- B. Enslaving the Negro

Having done these things we cannot deny it - we must admit these crimes. America today is trapped in a feeling of nostalgia and pain. The so-called left and right elements are based on frames of reference which have now vanished.

The warnings of the press to the Negro movement concerning infiltration of Communist members, the warning of FBI J. EDGAR HOOVER, etc. These warnings fall on jaundiced ears.

BALDWIN cannot comprehend how Russia or Red China would gain by involvement in the Negro situation in depression days - Moscow may have seemed like a holy city. The attempt to unite black and white workers in union. The Harlem Negro had been promised by Republicans and Democrats for years. The promises of the C.P. fell on unreceptive ears. The C.P. promised too much.

J. EDGAR HOOVER has said - "Devotion to race should not superseed to established institution". BALDWIN is not sure what is meant by race. He thinks he might know what devotion means but he does definitely know what established institution means.

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As a Negro - freedom can be saved by attacking the following:

1. L. PEREZ (La.)
2. Senator EASTLAND
3. Trade Union System which places negroes at the bottom of the barrel.
4. Christian churches because they have never accepted the Negroes
5. The Republican Party with its GOLDWATER.
6. The Democratic Party with its EASTLAND.

We must attack these institutions - we do not mean we have to go to Moscow or Peking for help.

It is significant that our government is concerned about citizens going to Cuba, particularly Negroes going to Cuba. Are we not mature enough to know what we are doing? Are we such poor risks to expose us to anything outside America?

If he had a choice to take his family on a vacation would he go to Havana or Miami? He would choose Havana not because he is a communist or a Castroite. He would choose it because he could stay at any hotel he wanted. His children could take a "leak" in any bathroom. Not one that was segregated.

We in America cannot pretend to be the leader of the free world. The world is smaller today. It listens to speeches by L. PEREZ. Any citizen should be old enough, mature enough to go anywhere in the world and come back and report on what he saw - Are we so abject that we cannot be corrupted? Are we not safer to know what is going on in Cuba, China, Vietnam?

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He has written articles that were rejected because the magazine editors said:

"This is not for our readers."

The mass media of the press has a responsibility of dissemination of information and truth.

Freedom is a slogan. We in America are free only as we dare to be. People must protect freedom. When government tells us what to read, what to believe or with whom we may associate then that government is in great trouble.

Concerning dictators - our government doesn't disapprove of all of them, only those it cannot deal with. We back a status quo and neglect to face the inevitable revolution which is already in progress.

All works of art are flawed. There are limitations to our abilities so we cannot achieve our conceived perfection - We are human. We are limited by a world outside ourselves and a world inside ourselves.

There is a flaw in our country. We are not a country as such yet. We are trapped in a collection of motels and boy scouts.

We deny our history to ourselves. We are still dominated by the "Myth of Europe". History books portray the American Negro as a canable with a bone in his nose. This is not true. Otherwise why would America be conscious of the Negro movement.

BALDWIN says: "I have never been afraid of Russia, China or Cuba but I am terrified of this country." Apathy allows thousands of people in the deep south to perish - not only Negroes, the real victim is the poor white man, who does these things because he was told generations ago to do it. He could never allow himself to fall below the level of the Negro.

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Who has divorced these white men from the reality? A handful of men on the hill and some even on Capitol Hill who have determined not to share the wealth.

We could be a sovereign people. We must assess our history. PERES, EASTLAND are not an act of God. We accept them because we are afraid to face the facts of our lives."

The real responsibility begins in the attitude of the people toward their own private lives.

In the richer countries of the world - Switzerland, Germany, England and America we find them the most inhuman. The poorer countries Spain & Italy they are more human.

The only way to survive this crisis is to accept this fact that this is not a white country. There are twenty million Negroes of all degrees & shades. It is a illusion to think oneself as a white.

Remember in slave quarters it was not the Negro grandmothers who raped the owners.

There are millions of dollars spent each year to prepare for war which no one can survive. This is wasteful and could be used for most fruitful purposes.

Because it is Christmas let us remember that He attacked institutions; He was a revolutionary - He changed the world.

We can do that, we have the money we have the experience. We still have the hope to find the facts of our lives.

The Negro movement is complimented for its peaceful demonstrations. BALDWIN is against all forms of violence & shedding of blood.

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We are responsible. It is our country. We are
the ones who put the whip in the Sheriff's hand. Now we
must take it from him.

11:10 p.m.

Addenda

- #1 Ticket
- #2 Petition re Cuba travel
- #3 Test cases of ECLC 1963
- #4 Envelope pledge & donation
- #5 Bill of Rights

P.S. Seated at table #110
JOSEPHINE WILKENS - Georgia - one time 1942 labor
arbitrator

KENNETH CLARK

Mrs. K. CLARK

INGE MANN

CAROLAND MANN - Editor - Editorial Service - Riverside
Drive

Mrs. CLARK FOREMAN

Mrs. FREELAND & two other unidentified.

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"A G E N D A

- "1) Minutes of last Meeting: DRU BAETCKE
"2) State Un-American Activities Committee Report for 1963:
 D. MARSHALL
"3) NCAHUAC March 7-8 National Committee Meeting:
 "A) Attendance by DOROTHY MARSHALL, NCAHUAC Coordinating
 Vice-Chairman

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"B) Agenda items: Suggestions o.k. through
2/3/64 (Next CCPAF Bd. Mtg.)

"4) Financial Report: Welcome Home JEN BRASLAW!!!

"A) NCAHUAC - BRASLAW & KONIGSBERG

"5) Political Action in L.A. on HUAC 1964 Appropriation:

"A) Report on Actions Taken: WILKINSON

"B) Discussion on Other Action to be taken
during January by Board Members

"6) Fund Raising for Assemblyman PHIL BURTON's
candidacy for Congress:

"A) Request for Aid from JACK BERMAN:

Preliminary Meeting: Tuesday (tomorrow)
8 P.M. 13120 Bloom-
field Sherman Oaks
(BERMAN's) Phones:
Office: RI 9-5376;
home: TR 7-1725

Breakfast Meeting: Sunday, January 19th
11 A.M.

Discussion & Acceptance of Responsibili-
ties by Board Members

"7) Braden Pamphlet: 'HUAC - Block to Integration'

"A) Committee to Review: MARSHALL, KERBY,
SHAPIRO

Plan for other Board Members to review

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"(Suggestions to be airmailed to ANNE BRADEN
by January 15th.

"B.) Fund Raising for pamphlet distribution
in Los Angeles:

- Estimated Cost (32 pages -5" x 9"):
15¢ plus
- Acceptance of Fund Raising Responsibilities by Board Members during 1/64
- Goals for Southern California distribution - D I S C U S S I O N

"8) OTHER BUSINESS

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"MINUTES

"CCPAF [REDACTED]

"CHAIRMAN: DOROTHY MARSHALL

"1) Minutes of Executive Board meeting Dec. 9, read and corrections noted.

"2) Annual financial report from the Treasurer covering financial figures for 1963 presented and approved.

A warm welcome was extended to JAN BRASLAW who has returned from an extended European trip and has resumed the responsibility of keeping CCPAF and NCAHUAC financial records in order.

"M/S/C that JEN BRASLAW receive a vote of thanks from CCPAF for her outstanding services.

"3) The Chairman reported that the 7 attorneys who were consulted, unanimously agreed that the statements in a letter signed by CALVIN FOX accusing CCPAF of being a subversive organization, were libelous. They also agreed that an organizational libel suit against FOX would react against CCPAF.

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- "4) R. KONIGSBERG presented the issue of lack of police protection from interference at CCPAF public meetings. After general discussion the following action was taken: *(X) u*

"M/S/C that CCPAF establish a committee and invite representatives of other civil liberties groups to meet with the proper authorities to establish necessary police procedures with respect to the right of all citizens to exercise free speech and peacable assemblage, and all other constitutional rights.

KERBY, KONIGSBERG, SHAPIRO and STEINGART agreed to serve on this committee.

- "5) The Chairman informed the Board that the State Un-American Activities Committee's report for 1963 has been published and again designates CCPAF as a communist front. A communication will be sent to Senator ERUNS calling his attention to the many mis-statements of fact pertaining to CCPAF in this report.

- "6) The Secretary reported that the NCNAHUAC National Committee meeting will be held March 7 and 8 in Washington, D.C. The Secretary and Chairman will attend the meeting, and if possible, one more delegate from CCPAF will attend. Delegates will arrive in order to visit Congressmen.

After the Congressional vote on the HUAC appropriation, a campaign in detail will be planned during the following 10 months before the opening of Congress in 1965 to rally support against the HUAC.

Agenda for the National meeting in March will be discussed at the next CCPAF Board meeting in February.

- "7) A report from the Secretary on political action recommended that CCPAF Board members take an active part in the candidacy of Assemblyman PHIL BURTON of San Francisco, for Congress. BURTON's election would insure progressive leadership in Congress and strong support for Abolition.

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[REDACTED] (ph) contacted [REDACTED] at F.A. Inc., and said he had spoken to RUBY (DEE) who said that OSSIE (DAVIS) had received a phone call from DOROTHY (BURNHAM). RUBY said DOROTHY told OSSIE that there probably would not be a meeting tonight. [REDACTED] added that OSSIE would not be able to make it and, therefore, [REDACTED] should not stay around. [REDACTED] asked if OSSIE was leaving town soon and [REDACTED] replied that they just got back. (X) u b7c-2

(It is believed that [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] were discussing a meeting which would be concerned with a W.E.B. DU BOIS memorial to be held in February, 1964.) (X) u

[REDACTED] contacted JACK O'DELL at F.A. Inc. and said that LINUS PAULING will not be able to be on the program (probably DU BOIS memorial) (X) u

JACK O'DELL contacted JIMMY BALDWIN and said he had a good time the night before. BALDWIN said he enjoyed it too, and O'DELL said he would contact BALDWIN later. (X) u

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On 1/12/64, [REDACTED] furnished photographs of material maintained at the office of Freedomways Associates, Inc., 799 Broadway, NYC. Included were photographs of the following: (X)u

1. A letter dated November 12, 1963, from JOHN HENRIK CLARKE, Associate Editor of "Freedomways", addressed to Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., at the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, 334 Auburn Avenue, Northeast, Atlanta, Georgia. In this letter, CLARKE states that the Fall issue of "Freedomways" had been mailed to KING and that he hoped KING had had time to read the Summer issue. CLARKE added that the Winter issue, which they are now preparing would be devoted to the Southern freedom movement and they would like to have most of the articles for the issue written by people who have either participated or are still in the movement. He said they were asking the heads of all major organizations in the South to write a short statement explaining the nature of their organization's involvement in the Southern freedom movement. He said that these statements would be published in the Winter issue and that "Freedomways" was anxious to have KING's thoughts on the matter as early as possible. (X)u

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2: A letter dated December 15, 1963, from PHIL W. PETRIE of Company B, Second Medical Battalion, Second Infantry Division, Fort Benning, Georgia, addressed to Freedomways Associates, 799 Broadway, New York, New York. In this letter, PETRIE asked that he be informed when his subscription to "Freedomways" would end, adding that he wanted another one started. He also said that his brother, WILLIAM PRYOR, 600 North 5th St., Nashville, Tennessee, had not received the last two issues of the magazine and that his subscription began the same time as did PETRIE's. PETRIE also said that he was a Southerner, and knowing that the next issue would be an all-Southern issue, had enclosed with this letter 9 vignettes relating to his childhood in Tennessee for possible use in the publication. (X) u

3: A letter dated December 30, 1963, addressed to IVANHOE DONALDSON, in care of the Student Non-Violent Co-ordinating Committee (SNCC), 6 Raymond St., NW, Atlanta, Georgia. This letter was from JOHN HENRIK CLARKE, the Associate Editor of "Freedomways", and he thanked DONALDSON for calling his home to inquire about the type of material they need for the next issue of the magazine, which would be devoted to the Southern freedom movement. He also said that he had received an article from DONALDSON, which he would read and pass on to other members of the staff. (X) u

4. A letter dated August 22, 1963, from M. KATHERINE BAKER, Annapolis, Maryland, addressed to Freedomways Associates, stating that she would like a copy of the latest edition of the magazine for review purposes because a study group to which she belongs is interested in the publication. (X) u

5. A letter dated November 27, 1963, from JOHN CLARKE addressed to STERLING STUCKEY, 919 East 61st Street, Chicago, Illinois, stating that he hoped STUCKEY had received the 75 copies of the current issue of "Freedomways". He said that he felt that STUCKEY would be proud to be associated with the coming issue and added that he, CLARKE, had been asked to assemble and edit a special issue of "Presence Africaine" devoted to "The Black Revolution in America". He said that he would expect a contribution from STUCKEY. (X) u

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6. A letter dated December 5, 1963, from CLARKE addressed to ERWIN A. SALK, 11 South La Salle St., Chicago, Illinois, stating that he hoped SALK had had time to consider their letter of September 25, relating to the financial status of "Freedomways" and the proposed methods to raise funds. He said the magazine was growing in influence which is due to the increase in subscriptions gained through mass mailings to selected lists of people and the large sale of the Harlem issue. He added, however, that this issue did not pay for itself. (X)u

CLARKE also said that he was enclosing a copy of a letter signed by JAMES BALDWIN for "Freedomways" adding that they have already mailed over 8,000 copies of this letter. (X)u

7. A letter from JOHN HENRIK CLARKE, Associate Editor of "Freedomways", dated December 18, 1963, and addressed to Mrs. DAISY BATES, 1207 W. 28th Street, Little Rock, Arkansas, in which he expressed disappointment in not seeing BATES on her last visit to NYC. He further stated that he had mailed to her a picture of DU BOIS (probably W.E.B. DU BOIS) and asked that it be returned after it served its purpose. CLARKE also noted that he and his wife would be going South for the holidays to visit his home town, Columbus, Georgia, his first such visit in 30 years. (X)u

8. A letter dated November 12, 1963, from CLARKE addressed to Mrs. ANNE BRADEN, Southern Conference Educational Fund, Inc., 4403 Virginia Ave., Louisville, Kentucky. In this letter, CLARKE thanked BRADEN for names and addresses of possible contributors to the forthcoming issue dealing with the Southern freedom movement. He also expressed appreciation that she might write an article on the Southern Conference Educational Fund (SCEF) raid and attempts to destroy intergration organizations in the South. (X)u

9. A letter dated October 16, 1963, on the stationery of the Department of Social Studies, Central High School, Newark, New Jersey, from JUSTIN B. GOLFORD, Chairman, addressed to Freedomways, NYC. He said he was interested in their publication and would appreciate the edition on Harlem and information on subscription costs. (X)u

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10. A letter dated December 30, 1963, from CLARKE addressed to GEORGE SINGLETON, Editor of "The A.M.E. Church Review", Philadelphia, Pa., stating that he, CLARKE, had received SINGLETON's letter of December 16, and the 5 copies of the "Church Review". CLARKE added that the letter to WILLIAM PATTERSON was incorrectly addressed, that PATTERSON lives at 1268 President St., Brooklyn, NY. He said that he had spoken to PATTERSON and sent the letter to him, adding that both of them were proud to have their work published in the "Church Review." (X)u

11. A letter dated October 11, 1963, on the stationery of the PHILIP M. STERN Family Fund, Washington, D.C., addressed to ESTHER JACKSON, the Managing Editor of "Freedomways," and signed by PHILIP M. STERN. He thanked her for her letter of September 30th containing an application for a magazine grant for J.H. O'DELL, which he said would be considered with other applications and that O'DELL would be informed of the results on or about January 1, 1964. (X)u

If the information furnished by the above source is used in a report or disseminated outside the Bureau, it should be paraphrased to protect this source:

Items 1, 2 and 3 are being forwarded as enclosures with this letter to Atlanta; item 4 to Baltimore; items 5 and 6 to Chicago; item 7 to Little Rock; item 8 to Louisville; item 9 to Newark; item 10 to Philadelphia, and item 11 to WFO. No copies are being retained by the NYO.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (100-146553)

DATE: 2/4/64

FROM : SA [REDACTED] 412

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SUBJECT: JAMES ARTHUR BALDWIN
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By letter dated 1/29/64, captioned as above, the Bureau requested NYO to furnish parts 1, 2, 3 and 4 of a 6 part article on subject which had appeared in the "New York Post".

A review of instant file indicates that all parts of the article were apparently sent to the Bureau.

However, inasmuch as Bulet 1/29/64 reflects otherwise, it is requested that Photostats of serials 89, 90, 91 and 92 be made for transmittal to the Bureau.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (62-108763)

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SAC, WFO (100-43011) (P)

JAMES ARTHUR BALDWIN
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(OO:NY)

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Rerep [REDACTED] at New York 12/11/63 with
lead for WFO to check passport record of subject; Bulet
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On 1/2/64 [REDACTED] b7c-8 Agency Liaison
Officer, Passport Office, U. S. Department of State, advised
IC [REDACTED] no identifiable record was located
concerning subject.

A recheck of passport office records was requested,
pointing out subject known to have resided in Paris, France.

Passport record not located as of 1/29/64.
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
MEMORANDUM

TO: SAC, CLEVELAND

DATE: 2/4/64

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-107419)

SUBJECT: EMERGENCY CIVIL LIBERTIES COMMITTEE
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Identity of Source: [REDACTED] who has furnished
reliable information in the
past (conceal)

Description of Info: 10th Annual Bill of Rights
Dinner, 12/13/63, Americana
Hotel, Grand Imperial
Ballroom,

Date Received: 12/19/63

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Received by: SA [REDACTED] (orally)

Original Location: NY [REDACTED] b2-1 b7D-1

Information furnished by informant, as reflected
above, was dictated to [REDACTED] on 12/19/63; b7C-1
transcribed on 12/24/63, and authenticated by informant on
1/6/64.

A copy of informant's oral report follows:

- 1 - Cleveland (100-[REDACTED] b7D-1) (Mrs. CYRUS EATON) (RM)
1 - NY [REDACTED] (INV) (41)
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1 - NY 100-[REDACTED] (41) b7C-3
1 - NY 100-[REDACTED] (422)
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1 - NY 100-91461 (JOHN HENRY FALK) (424)
1 - NY 100-[REDACTED] (HERBERT BIDERMAN) (412)
1 - NY 100-2545 (ABRAHAM LINCOLN BRIGADE) (41)
1 - NY 100-25780 (CORLISS LAMONT) (41)
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December 19, 1963

10th Annual Bill of Rights Dinner
December 13, 1963
Americana Hotel
Grand Imperial Ballroom

The following is a description of people seen at this meeting:

~~Dr. and Mrs.~~ KAGAN, who were seated at Table 101 with a group of other doctors and wives.

Dr. MEYER ROSENBERG, who is a neurosurgeon, attending at Jewish Hospital of Brooklyn, was seen coming out of the men's room. He is 5'7", 190 pounds, suntanned, balding, with light hair.

Miss SUE YELLIN was seen moving from table to table and speaking with guests. Miss YELLIN is the Assistant Chief Medical Technician at the Metropolitan Diagnostic Institute at 2 Nevins Street in Brooklyn. She is 5'7", 120 pounds, long black kinky hair, large brown eyes, of a very pale complexion and quite thin. Also seen leaving the affair going down the stairs to the ground floor of the Americana Hotel was a member of the Medical Committee for Civil Rights, in fact, one of the speakers who represented the Medical Committee for Civil Rights at the March on Washington. This doctor is 5'8", thin, dark hair, dark mustache, wears glasses. He is, I believe, mentioned by name in my previous report on the March on Washington.

Mentioned as contributing a substantial sum and mentioned as present in the audience was Dr. ALEXANDER KATZ of Brooklyn.

The meeting was chaired by JOHN HENRY FALK and several references were made to his recent successful libel suit. Mr. FALK made many comments on the current American foreign policy and was seemingly opposed to America's Viet Nam and Cuban policy.

The first featured speaker was Mrs. CYRUS EATON. Mrs. EATON launched an attack on the press in general on the use of the entertainment and advertising media as an instrument of setting forth the policies of the American power structure. She attacked capitalism and charged that the government hired many of the demonstrators who recently demonstrated against visiting Eastern European diplomats and visitors.

The recipient of the Thomas Paine Award was Mr. BOBBY DILLON, the noted song writer. Mr. DILLON wore a dark shirt without a tie and corduroy-type jacket and pants as did many younger people in the audience. When the award was presented, Mr. DILLON was missing from the dias. After approximately seven or eight minutes, he was found and brought for the acceptance. His acceptance speech was a rambling, almost incoherent talk. He spoke of his great admiration for the student group that had gone to Cuba (as did almost all the other speakers). He expressed the fact that it was too bad that all of the people in the audience were not young. He commented on LEE OSWALD, stating something to this effect: "I see a lot of myself in LEE OSWALD. I don't mean I would go so far as to shoot anyone." At this point the audience, which had been growing restless, began to hiss and boo and they yelled, "No." Mr. DILLON tried to gracefully back out of this faux-pas. This statement created a tremendous stir for the rest of the evening and many of the following speakers commented on Mr. DILLON's speech and also attempted to interpret it.

Another speaker was a Mr. BIDERMAN, who was identified as one of the Hollywood Eleven. His was a speech which involved the collection of funds through the audience. He also introduced the rest of the guests on the dias and told each of their stories. Their problems were described as a type of fight that the Emergency Civil Liberties Committee is carrying on. Among the people introduced was the leader of the young student group that went to Cuba recently against the wishes of the government. Also introduced was a member of the Lincoln Brigade, and many others.

Mr. CORLISS LAMONT was also present and made a brief statement.

The final speaker of the evening was JAMES BALDWIN. His speech consisted of a vigorous description of his theories on the meaning of Negro subjugation and its damaging effect on the entire American community. His speech was extremely well received. He made the statement that he was not very interested in Mr. J. EDGAR HOOVER's recommendation that the Negro in his quest for equality should not fight established institutions. It was Mr. BALDWIN's premise that these established institutions have offered the Negro no real help and have in fact tended to maintain his lowly state. He mentioned that the ban on travel to Cuba was quite incomprehensible to him since as a Negro he was better off vacationing in Havana than in Miami Beach no matter what the type of system was in effect in Cuba. He advocated unlimited issuance of passports to everyone to go anywhere. He stated that he and many other Negro leaders were well aware that the Communists offered no solution to the Negro problem and that this was quite obvious since they promised much but all Negroes knew that it was impossible to fulfill these promises.

The speakers claimed that there were 1,500 people in the ballroom. The ballroom was filled with round tables which seated approximately 10 people each, and the entire floor of the ballroom was covered with tables. There did not seem to be many empty seats.

The formal part of the meeting began approximately at 8:30 and ended at approximately 11:00 p.m.

There were several announcements of large donations; a rough guess of the total donations is \$12,000. This included a large gift by CORLISS LAMONT. There were also many similar donations mentioned. There was a donation from a Theatre Union which was said to be present.

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JAMES ARTHUR BALDWIN
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ReBulet to NY, 1/29/64.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are one (1) Photostat each of Xerox copies of parts 1, 2, 3, and 4 of a six-part article concerning subject which appeared in the "New York Post."

A review of NYO file indicates that these parts were apparently previously furnished to the Bureau.

However, in compliance with Bureau request of referenced letter, four (4) Photostats of the article are herewith enclosed.

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In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

New York, New York
February 14, 1964

Bureau 100-3-116
100-434819

Re: Communist Party, United States
of America - Negro Question
Communist Influence In Racial Matters
Internal Security - C

Freedomways Associates, Incorporated
Internal Security - C

On February 12, 1964, [REDACTED]
E. J. Creeden Company, 118 East 25th Street, New York City, the
company which handles mailings for the Southern Christian
Leadership Conference (SCLC), furnished the following
information:

In the latter part of January, 1964, the Creeden
Company stenciled 5,000 envelopes for Freedomways Associates
with names and addresses from several lists which are maintained
by the company for the SCLC. One of the lists from which names
and addresses were taken is the 1963 SCLC list which is the
current and best list. Arrangement for Freedomways Associates
to use the SCLC lists was made by Ruth Bailey, an employee of
New York Office of the SCLC, who contacted [REDACTED] and gave
him permission to stencil the envelopes for Freedomways Associates.
When the envelopes were stenciled, they were returned to
Freedomways Associates and it is not known what was mailed in
them. b7cb

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Freedomways Associates, Incorporated
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A characterization of Freedomways
Associates, Incorporated, publishers
of the magazine "Freedomways", is
attached to this memorandum.

On February 9, 1964, a confidential source furnished information reflecting that Freedomways Associates, Incorporated, on January 31, 1964, paid the Creeden Company \$35.29 for stenciling envelopes.

This same source, on February 9, 1964, furnished information reflecting that Freedomways Associates was preparing a mailing of a printed letter from James Baldwin praising "Freedomways" magazine for its articles on the civil rights crisis and stating that he was renewing his subscription for two years. This letter which is addressed "Dear Friend", contains the printed signature of James Baldwin and asks the recipient to join him in subscribing to "Freedomways" at once.

The source was unable to advise whether the envelopes stenciled by the Creeden Company were used for the mailing of the Baldwin letter.

James Baldwin is a well known
Negro author.

[REDACTED] further advised on February 12, 1964, that on February 7, 1964, he was visited at the Creeden Company by a Mr. Levison and a Miss Cantor. [REDACTED] said that Levison told him that Cantor is going to take over the operation of the New York Office of the SCLC and that they were looking for a new location for the New York Office. Levison said that they visited the Creeden Company to check on the SCLC mailing lists maintained there. [REDACTED] said that, on instruction from Levison, the Creeden Company is running a galley of the 1963 SCLC list which is to be used to check against the old lists.

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Levison furnished his telephone number to Finnerty as MU 4-2932. The Manhattan Telephone Directory lists Stanley D. Levison, 6 East 39th Street, as the subscriber to this number.

A second confidential source advised in July, 1963, that, as of that time, Stanley Levison was a secret member of the Communist Party, United States of America (CPUSA).

Adele Cantor has been obtained by Stanley Levison to take over the operation of the New York Office of the SCLC.

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APPENDIX

1.

FREEDOMWAYS ASSOCIATES, INC.

The records of the New York Secretary of State, Albany, New York, show that the certificate of incorporation of Freedomways Associates, Incorporated, was filed on March 2, 1961.

The Spring, 1963, issue of "Freedomways" is self-described as "A Quarterly Review of the Negro Freedom Movement" published by Freedomways Associates, Incorporated, 799 Broadway, New York City.

On May 24, 1961, a source advised that a report was given on "Freedomways" at a meeting of the National Board, Communist Party, USA (CPUSA), held on May 24, 1961. It was stated that the original plan called for the publication to be openly Marxist, but that it was later decided it would not be avowedly a Marxist publication. Editorials are in the hands of a mixed group of Marxists and non-Marxists. It was stated that the central purpose of "Freedomways" is to develop a theory and positive criticism of currents in the Negro movement, as well as to raise the level of understanding and discussion taking place in Negro life today and to project a socialist and pro-Soviet orientation.

On May 25, 1961, another source advised that "Freedomways" was set up for the CPUSA by James Jackson, a member of the National Committee of the CPUSA.

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New York, New York
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100-434819

Title Communist Party, United States
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Character Freedomways Associates, Incorporated
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Reference New York letterhead memorandum, dated
and captioned as above.

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are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI {100-3-116}
{100-434819}

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK {100-151548}
{100-144189}

SUBJECT: CPUSA-NEGRO QUESTION
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FREEDOMWAYS ASSOCIATES, INC.
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There are enclosed for the Bureau seven copies of a letterhead memorandum reflecting that Freedomways Associates has been using the mailing list of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC) with the approval of RUTH BAILEY, an employee of the New York Office of the SCLC.

In addition, STANLEY LEVISON visited the office of the Creeden Company, which handles mailings for the SCLC, on 2/7/64, with a person named (ADELE) CANTOR to check on the SCLC mailing list.

- 5 - Bureau (100-3-116) (Encls. 7) (RM)
(1 - 100-434819) (FREEDOMWAYS ASSOCIATES, INC.)
(1 - 100-438794) (SCLC)
- 3 - Atlanta (100-6520) (Encls. 3) (Info) (RM)
(1 - 100-) (FREEDOMWAYS ASSOCIATES, INC.)
(1 - 100-5718) (SCLC)
- 1 - New York {100-111180} (STANLEY LEVISON) (414)
1 - New York {100- } (421)
- 1 - New York {100-149194} (SCLC) (41)
- 1 - New York {100-146553} (JAMES BALDWIN) (412) 100-146553-111
- 1 - New York {100-144189} (FREEDOMWAYS ASSOCIATES, INC.) (414)
- 1 - New York {100-151548} (414)

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The first confidential source mentioned is [REDACTED]
and the source used to characterize STANLEY LEVISON is
NY 694-S*. The sources used to characterize Freedomways
Associates are [REDACTED] and NY 694-S*.

This letterhead memorandum is classified "Secret"
because it reflects that "Freedomways" magazine has been using
the 1963 mailing list of MARTIN LUTHER KING's SCLC and that
STANLEY LEVISON is assisting in the reorganization of the SCLC
office in New York.

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On 2/13/64, [REDACTED] advised that on that date JAMES BALDWIN was in contact with JACK O'DELL and O'DELL told BALDWIN that he would meet him the following day, because BALDWIN has some things to talk over with O'DELL before a reading at 12:30. (X) u

[REDACTED] advised on 2/14/64, that on that date O'DELL was in contact with a [REDACTED] and said that he wanted to give her the name of a person who would get someone to be hostesses.. He gave this person's name as RUTH BAILEY, whose home phone number is TA. 2-3868. He said that Miss BAILEY worked for Dr. (MARTIN LUTHER) KING, at 312 W. 125th Street, NYC, telephone number UN 6-2000. O'DELL said he formerly worked with BAILEY, that he has spoken to her and that she was expecting [REDACTED] call (X) u b7C-2

[REDACTED] expressed her appreciation and said that they were having a meeting that night, and asked O'DELL if he had been able to do anything about "the school". O'DELL replied that he has fifteen "school kids set up", adding that they did not have tickets. [REDACTED] told O'DELL that she would see him Monday night and he agreed. (X) u

On 2/15/64, [REDACTED] advised that on that date a person who identified himself as [REDACTED] (ph) attempted to contact O'DELL, but O'DELL was not available. Late the same date, O'DELL contacted [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] stated that he had called to find out whether O'DELL had contacted SILOM (ph), and O'DELL said he had not because "we said" that [REDACTED] would do it since he knew the people. O'DELL said he felt that [REDACTED] knew SILOM (ph) better than he did. (X) u b7C-1

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- ① - 100-91330 (H. P. O'DELL) (#414)
- ① - 100- [REDACTED] (#421)
- ① - 100-136585 (MARTIN LUTHER KING) (#414)

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They continued to discuss places that had been called and O'DELL said that a "problem we have" is that they do not have any more leaflets. He said that they have less than 500 leaflets at the office and that it is necessary to have something for next week. O'DELL said that he was planning on covering the Salem (ph) Church the next day and [redacted] said that he felt he would need more leaflets. (X)(u)

O'DELL added that another problem is that they did not have balcony tickets on hand right now, adding that this is what is going to be asked for at a number of churches, "if we sell any". O'DELL said he did not want people to feel handicapped and felt they should proceed with what they have. He added that they still have one other Sunday and should do something on the day of the affair. He said that by that time they could put emphasis on tickets. (X)(u)

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Later the same date, O'DELL was in contact with JOHN CLARKE and said that he had seen JAMES BALDWIN the previous day and BALDWIN wants to know whether his agent called CLARKE. CLARKE stated that he had called about two weeks previously and that "it's taken care of". b2-1

[redacted] advised on 2/17/64, that on that date [redacted] (ph) contacted a JOHN (LNU) (probably [redacted] at the office of "Freedomways" and wanted account of tickets. JOHN said that he would do this and call her back and gave her number as [redacted]. This number is listed in the Brooklyn Telephone Directory to [redacted] at [redacted] Brooklyn, NY. (X)(u)

If the information furnished by the sources is used in a report or otherwise disseminated, it should be paraphrased to protect these informants.

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TO: SAC, NEW YORK (100-144189) (#414) OTHERWISE DATE 2/17/64
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The following information was furnished by [REDACTED] on the dates indicated] (X) (u)

[1/23/64] (X) (u)

[REDACTED] contacted [REDACTED] at F.A. Inc., and she told him that she spoke to OZZIE (ph) (OSSIE DAVIS) and he said yes. She told [REDACTED] to call him for an appointment and to identify himself with the camp because all she told OZZIE (ph) was that he was with the camp and would call. [REDACTED] said he would call him. [REDACTED] then spoke to [REDACTED] and inquired if he got the material. [REDACTED] said he had not, but would speak to some other members of the writers workshop and see if they have any material in play form. [REDACTED] agreed and said he would contact [REDACTED] again. (X) (u)

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1-New York (100- [REDACTED] (414)
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[REDACTED] contacted [REDACTED] (ph) at [REDACTED] and said he saw the notice in the "Times", that he was happy about the whole thing, and that she could count on "Freedomways" as one of the first theatre parties. (S) 11 -

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[REDACTED] who was at the office of F.A., Inc., contacted a [REDACTED] (ph) at The New School for Social Research, 66 W. 12th St. She said she has sent "Freedomways" material concerning a series of lectures to be given at the New School, February 6, on the race crisis. [REDACTED] said he would like to exchange publicity in "Freedomways" for the lectures, for the privilege of publicizing "Freedomways" at The New School. She told [REDACTED] to come in and see her, that one of the instructors at The New School, Mr. WILMER LUCAS (ph) is already using "Freedomways" in his classes. [REDACTED] said he would see her the next day. *VII*

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[REDACTED] stated she was at Penn Station, having spent the previous night in Philadelphia. She asked for any messages and there were none. (X) 11

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[REDACTED] (ph) of WWRL contacted [REDACTED] at F.A. Inc., and asked who was coming on the 24th to some program on how a Harlem magazine is put together. She said also that Mrs. JACKSON had promised to get someone for Wednesday, 1/29/64, and the W.E.B. Du Bois memorial affair.

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She also thought she might get JAMES BALDWIN for 1/31/64. [REDACTED] said she would let Mrs. JACKSON or JOHN CLARKE know of [REDACTED] call. [REDACTED] said she could be reached at [REDACTED] QJU

[1/22/64] QJU

[REDACTED] (ph) contacted JACK O'DELL at the office of F.A., Inc., and they arranged a luncheon date for 2:00 P.M., on 1/24/64. QJU

[1/22/64] QJU

A [REDACTED] who gave her number as [REDACTED] contacted JACK O'DELL at F.A., Inc., and inquired whether they had people who spoke at forums because "we're a forum out in Queens", and would like someone to speak on some aspects of the Negro struggle today. She said they were in the Flushing area, that she was told that JOHN CLARKE was very good, and wondered if they could have him. [REDACTED] stated that some of their contributing editors speak at forums, that they have some people in Queens who are active "on our Editorial Board", and would let her know by Friday as to what could be done. QJU b7C2

The Queens telephone directory lists [REDACTED], Flushing as the subscriber to [REDACTED]

[1/24/64] QJU

JACK O'DELL contacted [REDACTED] at [REDACTED] and said he would see him in about 20 minutes. QJU

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The following information was furnished by [REDACTED] on the dates indicated: JKH

[2/4/64] JKH

PAUL ROBESON, Jr. contacted [REDACTED] at the office of PA, Inc., 799 Broadway, NYC, and they discussed a mutually agreeable time to meet the next day, but could not arrive at an agreement. ROBESON said he would call her the following day to see if some arrangement could be made. KJKH

[2/5/64] JKH

A person who identified himself as [REDACTED] (PM), whose telephone number is [REDACTED], contacted the office of PA, Inc. and asked for ESTHER JACKSON who was not available. He left a message with JACK O'DELL requesting that ESTHER contact him after 1:00 p.m. JKH

The Manhattan Telephone Directory lists a [REDACTED] number [REDACTED] as the subscriber to telephone JKH

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- 1 - [REDACTED] (PAUL ROBESON, Jr.) (421)
- 1 - [REDACTED] (414)
- 1 - [REDACTED] (414)
- 1 - [REDACTED] (HUNTER PITTS O'DELL) (414)
- 1 - [REDACTED] (421)
- 1 - [REDACTED] (LITTLE RED SCHOOL HOUSE)
- 1 - [REDACTED] (PRISDOMWAYS FORUM) (421)
- 1 - [REDACTED] (JAMES BALDWIN) (412)
- 1 - [REDACTED] (424)

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[REDACTED] On the same date [REDACTED] contacted [REDACTED] at home and he stated that he was feeling ok but that he was in some pain because they cut out more than he thought. He mentioned a piece on his leg and his arm. (X)u

On the same date PAUL ROBESON, Jr. attempted to contact ESTHER JACKSON at FA, Inc. and JACK O'DELL told him that she was not in. ROBESON asked O'DELL if he would be there for another half hour and if he could spend 20 minutes or so with O'DELL. O'DELL agreed. (X)u

[REDACTED] 2/6/64 (X)u

[REDACTED] A [REDACTED] (PH) [REDACTED] attempted to contact JACK O'DELL at the office of FA, Inc but O'DELL was not in. [REDACTED] asked that O'DELL call him at his office that afternoon. (X)u b7c2

On the same date [REDACTED] who was at the office of FA, Inc. contacted a [REDACTED] (PH) at the Little Red School House and said that a [REDACTED] (PH) a friend of hers, would be getting in touch with her concerning an opening in the teaching staff there. [REDACTED] stated that she would have to refer [REDACTED] to Dr. SMITH and [REDACTED] agreed. (X)u

It should be noted that JACK O'DELL resides with [REDACTED] at 123-1/2 Michigan Ave., NYC, and that [REDACTED] is [REDACTED] (X)u

[REDACTED] 2/7/64 (X)u

JAMES BALDWIN's Secretary, attempted to contact JACK O'DELL at the office of FA, Inc. but he was told that O'DELL had just left for BALDWIN's office. (X)u

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On the same date [REDACTED] attempted to contact ESTHER JACKSON or O'DELL at the office of PA, Inc. but neither were available. He asked that ESTHER JACKSON call him on 2/14/64 at [REDACTED]

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